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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1579  
INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

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E.O.: 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MARR, JO, US, MASS  
SUBJ: FMS CREDIT FOR JORDAN

REF : A. AMMAN 3933; B. STATE 139603

1. DURING AMBASSADOR AKINS' CALL ON MINDEF PRINCE SULTAN JUNE 15, HE ASKED IF SAG WERE PREPARED TO COSIGN THE PROMISSARY NOTE FOR \$30 MILLION IN FMS CREDITS TO JORDAN. THE AMBASSADOR REMINDED SULTAN THAT THESE CREDITS HAD BEEN AGREED TO BY DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN AMBASSADOR KUHEIMI IN JORDAN, AND THE JORDANIAN GOVERNMENT.

2. PRINCE SULTAN REPLIED THAT \$30MILLION WAS NOT AN OVERWHELMINGLY LARGE SUM. HE EXPECTED ANY ARRANGEMENTS REQUIRED TO FINALIZE THIS CREDIT LINE, WOULD BE COMPLETED DURING THE VISIT OF JORDANIAN CHIEF OF STAFF, MAJOR GENERAL ZAYD BIN SHAKIR, DUE TO BEGIN ON JUNE 16. WITHOUT BEING SPECIFIC, PRINCE SULTAN SAID THAT HE MIGHT WANT TO LOOK INTO PRECISE NATURE OF THE SAG'S POSTURE TO THE LOAN, WHETHER AS A SIGNATORY OF LOAN AGREEMENT OR OF PROMISSORY NOTE ONLY. SULTAN WONDERED WHAT THE MONEY WOULD GO TOWARD, BUT UPON BEING TOLD THAT OUR INFORMATION WAS NOT VERY SPECIFIC, HE SAID HE WOULD DISCUSS THIS WITH COS BIN SHAKIR THE FOLLOWING DAY.

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